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ONE CENT

SUPPLIES ARE EXHAUSTED AS YOUTHS OF COUNTY REGISTER

Number Who Register Far Exceed Expectations of Registrars

VALLEY SENDS FOR BLANKS

Not Enough in Charleroi, Monongahela, Donora, Roscoe or Dunlevy And Motorcycleist is Hurried to Washington For More

Reports from all parts of this county indicate that today's registration of young men under the conscription law is far exceeding expectations. Long before noon today in Monongahela valley points it dawned that not enough blanks had been received for the registration and a motorcycleist was hastily dispatched to the county seat for an additional supply. In every Charleroi precinct the story was the same.

Donora was one of the first boroughs along the river to run out of blanks. Then, Monongahela, Roscoe, Dunlevy and other towns began to get anxious as their supply began to diminish. Inquiries were made in Charleroi, because this is a center, but there were none available here.

Considerable enthusiasm was exhibited about the polling places during the early hours of registration. There was somewhat of a rush of young men to be the first to register. Crowds were at the polls waiting the opening at 7 o'clock. One man—he was No. 5 of a list at one of the largest precincts—went early and waited patiently for his turn then as he said he had to elbow his way from the room.

Registrars have had a harder duty to perform than clerks at election time. They had no time to prepare this morning and had to hurriedly impress others into service as assistants. They will be required to post lists tonight as soon as possible giving the number registered. At about 1 o'clock there had an estimated number of from 600 to 800 young men registered in the borough.

ENGINEERS' COMPANY SUMMONED TO CAMP

Charleroi Represented in Company F—Several Enlistments From Monongahela Valley Received Monday At Pittsburgh Stations

Company F of the Fifth Engineers corps was called Monday to report at Oakmont camp tomorrow and this will be the last company of the Pittsburgh unit summoned into service. A big number of men who enlisted with the Engineers' corps, including several from Charleroi, were not called, and may be transferred to other units. Those from Charleroi called out are: Wilbur Fletcher, Leo A. Gillet and William G. McClurg.

Enlistments from this vicinity Monday included:

Army—Frank W. Francis, Dick No. 4; Frank Lengal, John W. Stroud, Monessen.

Engineer reserve corps—Julius H. Crookham, Donora; Joseph Patterson, Leo H. Phellis, California; John H. Jones, Allentown.

Navy—George Gabler, North Charleroi.

Mrs. James Maxwell of Monessen visited in Charleroi Monday.

FAREWELL CHAPEL EXERCISES HELD IN HONOR OF SENIORS

The final morning in chapel was enjoyed by the senior class of high school this morning, and the occasion was made a formal one of farewell. An interesting program was rendered. The 36 members of the senior class occupied places on the stage, and Chester Stahlman presided. Following was the program:

March	Orchestra
Song, "Onward Christian Soldiers,"	School
Scripture reading, Esther Berryman	School
Song, "Auld Lang Syne,"	School
Remarks	Russell Carl
Solo, "Poor Butterfly,"	Mary Thomas
Remarks	Thelma Duval
Piano solo	Mary Welch
Remarks	Robert Feicht
Solo, "War"	Jean Bowers
March	Orchestra

DISTRICTS FOR CONSCRIPTION

Governor Brumbaugh Telephones Announcement of Draft Provisions

CHARLEROI IN THE FIFTH

Conscription districts of Washington were named today by Governor Martin G. Brumbaugh in a telephone message here. The county is divided into five districts and the duty of the county board will be to appoint representative boards as assistants for each.

The county is divided as follows:

First district—Anawalt, Buffalo, Blaine, Claysville, Donegal, East Finley, East Washington, Morris, North and South Franklin, Washington, West Alexander and West Finley.

Second district—Robinson, Smith, Midway, Burgettstown, Jefferson, Cecil, Independence, Cross Creek, Hanover, West Middletown, Hopewell.

Third district—Canonsburg, Charlestown, Houston, Finleyville, North Strabane, South Strabane, Peters, Union, Nottingham.

Fourth district—East Pike Run, Elco, Allen, Beallsville, Cokeburg, Bentleyville, West and East Bethlehem townships, California, Marianna, Deemston, Centerville, Dunlevy Coal Center, Long Branch, Twilight, Roscoe, Spears, West Brownsville, Somerset.

Fifth district—Charleroi, Donora, Falkland, Monongahela, North Charleroi, New Eagle, Carroll.

Face Treason Charges

With two men under arrest for treason, with death as a possible punishment and five accused of a minor offense of conspiracy in connection with anti-draft agitation here, Pittsburgh Monday night was ready for conscription registration.

WANTED

An experienced shoe saleslady. Apply at store of Claybaugh & Milliken, 419 McKean avenue, Charleroi, Pa.

TWO ARE KILLED WHEN TRAIN STRIKES AUTO

Enoch Evans and Miss Beulah Byers of Monongahela Suffer Death in Awful Accident of Monday Afternoon

When the Pittsburgh-Brownsville express train going south about 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon struck the Overland automobile truck of R. E. Teeple, New Eagle, at the Monongahela Eighth street crossing, the driver, Enoch Evans, aged 40 years, was instantly killed and Miss Beulah Byers, aged 12 years, was so badly injured that she died an hour later in the Monongahela Memorial hospital.

The fast express smashed into the truck just as the driver reached the middle of the track, and hurled it and the occupants fully eighty feet, transforming the car into a mass of junk and hurling the two persons with great force against the steel fence surrounding the property of Mrs. Mary Boggs on Railroad street.

It is thought that the two had no knowledge of the approaching train.

There were no eye witnesses to the tragedy but several persons were nearby at work and as soon as they heard the impact they hurried to the scene. The man was already dead but the girl was rushed to the hospital. Thomas H. Tomlinson of Charleroi, one of the first to reach the girl's side and while waiting an ambulance to convey her to the hospital, rendered first aid.

The girl is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Byers of Riverview and is survived by her parents and three sisters. Mr. Evans is married and leaves three sons.

Deputy Coroner Carl J. Yohe has empaneled a jury to investigate the tragedy and investigate the charge that the train was running beyond the legal speed past the crossing.

KELLEY COUNCILMAN AT NORTH CHARLEROI

Elmore Houston Quits on Account of Removal From Borough—Contracts Awarded for Borough Improvement

At the regular meeting of the North Charleroi council Monday evening, Elmore Houston resigned as a member of council and as president. H. L. Penderberry was named president to take his place and J. R. Kelley was elected to the councilmanic vacancy to serve until the first of the year. Mr. Houston has removed from town.

Bids were received on the sewerage of Isabella avenue, on the placing of two inlets on Lincoln avenue and a baffle wall at the rear of the H. R. Myers property. The contract was awarded to Thomas Arrigo.

The treasurer's report for the month just closed showed a balance in the treasury of \$194.10 from the previous report, receipts of \$68.60 and disbursements of \$192.80, leaving a balance of \$70.10. Bills were paid to the extent of \$108.86.

NORTH CHARLEROI FIREMEN PLANNING TO HOLD CARNIVAL

The North Charleroi Fire department is planning a benefit carnival to be held the week of June 11 on the Wireton lot. The Mighty Doris shows have been engaged for the occasion, having 15 big attractions.

Sewing For the Heavens

Play given in Lecture Room, M. E. church Friday evening, June 8. Come Adults 25c, children 15c.

The bond of Roy S. Sharpnack who recently was named tax collector for the borough was accepted, it being for the face of the duplicate. Bondsmen are: Harry W. Scott, T. P. Sloan, R. S. Coyle and John O. Watson. T. L. Daly asked that he be permitted to change his driveway so that it would be less dangerous during the winter and the engineer and street committee was instructed to assume charge.

The street committee was instructed to repair a street condition arising from a sewer protruding above the street level on Conrad avenue.

The proper borough officers were instructed to renew a note of \$700 with the Donora Construction company for work they did in the improvement line. H. L. Penderberry presided at the meeting, with Councilmen Miller, Grabb and Johns present.

GOOD ROADS ENTHUSIASTS FROM COUNTY AT CAPITOL

A delegation of good roads enthusiasts from Washington county met State Highway Commissioner Black Monday in the interests of the improvement of a portion of the state highway route from Centerville, on the National Pike through Fredericktown to Millsboro, a distance of 14,500 feet. A signed and executed agreement whereby the local authorities contract to pay three-fourths of the cost of proposed construction to the State Highway Department was presented.

RUSSIAN PRIEST ACTS PROMPTLY WHEN GERMAN ABUSES FLAG

HUGE COUNTY ROLLER SLIDES WHEN IT STARTS UP FIFTH

Fifth street and the new county highway department roller disagreed this morning as a result of which they soon parted company. The roller arrived at the local railroad siding Monday and was unloaded ready for service today. It weighs ten tons, so that to have taken it the shortest way to Peterman's Hill, where it is to be put into use would have meant broken bridges. So Inspector James Watson started it up Fifth street in charge of the regular driver. Well above Lincoln avenue the roller suddenly became stationary, though the huge wheels continued to turn. Then it started backwards, sliding. The driver guided the monster roller against a curbing. Then after it was pulled out of its position it was taken to the hill section by a different route and over the hill to the scene of its work.

NEW GASOLINE ROLLER ARRIVES

Equipment Will First Be Used on Peterman Hill Improvement

COUNTY HAS GOOD EQUIPMENT

The new ten ton gasoline roller, recently purchased by the county commissioners for the county highway department arrived at the Charleroi station Monday and was unloaded ready to be taken to Beallsville to be used in the improvement of the Peterman's Hill road. The truck, which is the best known make, was manufactured by the Austin Manufacturing company of Chicago, Ill. The cost is \$2,976, this being but little more than the county spent last year to hire a roller. Included with the roller is a scraper.

With the acquisition of the new roller the county will have in its highway department now two new trucks, one a five-ton and the other a 3-1-2 ton, a four ton grader and the roller. The equipment on the improvement of the Peterman hill road will be in charge of James Watson, inspector. After the work is completed there it will either be moved to the Library road or to the Washington-Amity-Waynesburg road.

Monessen Pastor Does Not Hesitate But Collars Individual

THEN HE SEEKS POLICEMAN

Man Placed in Monongahela Lockup And Federal Authorities Notified—Affair Takes Place on Charleroi Car From Pittsburgh

Peremptory action was taken by Rev. Vladimir Lezkanich, pastor of St. Mary's Orthodox Russian church of Monessen and Samuel Goun of 61 Robert street, Pittsburgh, Monday night on a car out from Pittsburgh, when Antonia Naomowich, a German, began profaning the Stars and Stripes. Naomowich spoke in German to a man sitting with him. Rev. Lezkanich, who understood every word, stood it as long as possible. Then he and Goun reached over and collared him. They got off at Monongahela with their man and sought the police. Naomowich was lodged in the lockup over night and U. S. District Attorney E. Lowry Humes notified at Pittsburgh.

The man got on a Charleroi car at Pittsburgh, with another. Rev. Lezkanich and Goun took the seat directly behind him. The two Germans did not have much to say at first, but finally began talking in a rather low tone of voice.

Rev. Lezkanich, though desiring to be no eavesdropper, heard some of the conversation and was told that the one was the flag, he says, declaring he was a German subject and would fight for the kaiser.

As the car neared Monongahela Rev. Lezkanich and his companion seized their quarry and kept him quiet. Alighting from the car they sought a policeman.

Naomowich says he is 43 years old and lives in East Black street, New York city. Whether the name is correct the police are inclined to doubt. His case will be thoroughly investigated by Federal authorities. Rev. Lezkanich is a patriotic American subject. He explained that he could no longer contain himself as the German abused the flag.

HOLD UP TRAIN WHILE TRAINMEN REGISTER

A freight train on the Western Maryland Railroad running between Pittsburgh and Fairmont, W. Va., was held up at Uniontown 40 minutes Monday by special order of the company officials to allow two of the train's crew, Charles Roy, brakeman, of Dickerson Run and M. M. Smiley, flagman, of Cumberland, Md., time to register. The men are on duty somewhere miles from polling places during registration today and it is impossible for them to register within the required time.

BUY A LIBERTY BOND

Majestic Theatre --Today

Wilfred Lucas and Bessie Love in "SOULS TRIUMPHANT"

Tomorrow

Ethel Clayton in "MAN'S WOMAN" and "PATRIA"

Thursday and Friday

Mary Pickford in "A ROMANCE OF THE REDWOODS" in 3 parts

in 3 parts

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in 3 parts

in 3 parts

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CONSERVATION—EDUCATION

"Conservation of education" is the
title of Dr. Samuel G. Dixon's chat
this week in his health and hygiene
chat. He says:

The physical and mental strength of
a student is rarely considered by the
educator. The result of this is that
we have a vast number of nervous
wrecks, a burden to themselves and
to the public because they are too
weak, either physically or mentally,
to stand what is placed upon
them by the teachers. Many of them,
if strong enough physically, have not
been born with sufficient gray matter
over to apply the higher education
with which it is sought to equip
them, should they live through the
school.

Teaching does not produce brain
substance, but only arms the brain
with tools for the struggle of modern
achievement. Not only are children
taught by teachers beyond their nat-
ural aptitude, but frequently to
defect.

Along the tracks of education there
should be many stations where child-
ren could be discharged, fitted to fill
situations consistent with what na-
ture had intended them to perform.
To accomplish this in public school
education, the curriculum would have
to be adjusted so as to round up cer-
tain degrees of education essential
for them to pursue successfully some
of the lesser positions in life.

The present system of having a
continuous chain of study from the
primary school to the high school
leaves no link that is complete within
itself to provide for many of the oc-
currences which are humble but still
civilized life.

Those sufficiently endowed with na-
tural ability to make use of the higher
education really represent a minor-
ity of our children. Those with weaker
mentality, who are forced to keep
up with those more richly endowed so
that they may graduate from our
high schools, are often rendered too
tired to seek the more humble posi-
tion in life. Many of these who find
themselves in that position become
a burden to the public and often turn
into paths of dissipation.

This chat is not my first attempt
during my life to awaken the educa-
tors to the necessity of recognizing
the fact that nature has not made up
all alike. This great variation is
found in animate and inanimate life
and is generally consistent with the
variability of the necessities of man.

The teaching world, however, seems
to be too highly specialized to take a
broad view of the subject. Since it
has failed, parents will have to pro-
vide the solution themselves. Let
them lay aside sentiment and try to
measure their children's capacities for
education and their aptitude to use
education, so that they may be pre-
pared by the proper kind of education
to succeed in the character of work
nature endowed them for.

This want of having more varied
courses of study to meet the varied
mental capacities of the students and
their positions in life, has always been
of vital importance. But in these war
times conservation of education
and health are doubly vital. If we
are to lose some of our people in the
war or way of making up will be
to educate more properly those re-
maining.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

A woman's wife, coming down
stairs this morning, met the physi-
cian who was attending her husband.
"Is he very ill?" she asked, anxiously.

"He is," replied the physician. "I
fear that the end is not far off."

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TAKE THE LOAN

In circumstances not wholly dis-
similar, in the same month and at
a time when the country was on the
brink of war Edward Everett
Hale penned this poetic appeal to
the people to subscribe to a nation-
al loan. That was in 1861. The
loan bore interest at 7.30 per cent.
Those who took advantage of it
are rich today. The bit of verse
has a timely significance at present
when the Liberty Loan of 1917 is
being urged throughout the coun-
try.

Come, freemen of the land,
Come meet the great demand,
True heart and open hand,
Take the loan!

For the hopes the prophet saw,
For the sword your brothers
draw,
For liberty and law,
Take the loan!

Ye ladies of the land,
As ye love the gallant band
Who have drawn a soldier's brand,
Take the loan!

Who would bring them what she
could,
Who would give the soldier food,
Who would staunch her brother's
blood,
Take the loan!

All who saw our hosts pass by,
All who joined the parting cry,
All we bade them do or die,
Take the loan!

As ye wished their triumph then,
As ye hope to meet again,
And to meet their gaze like men,
Take the loan!

Who would press the great appeal
Of our ranks of serrated steel,
Put your shoulder to the wheel,
Take the loan!

That our prayers in truth may rise,
Which we press with streaming
eyes
On the Lord of earth and skies,
Take the loan!

"Do you think," she asked hesitat-
ingly, "do you think it proper that I
should be at his bedside during his
last moments?"

"Yes. But I advise you to hurry,
madam. The best places are already
being taken."

The back yard of a house in a Mas-
sachusetts town is overlooked by the
windows of an orphan asylum. In
this back yard stood a barrel of apples
which were disappearing at a rapid
rate.

The woman of the house, a widow
and a knowing mother, summoned her
8 year-old son to make inquiry touch-
ing the curious disappearance of the
fruit.

"Yes, mother, I've eaten the ap-
ples," he confessed "but really had to
do it."

"Had to do it?"
"Yes, mother: theorphans wanted
so many cores."

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Are you ready to drop everything
and go?

There are lots of people the govern-
ment can tax and lots of people
the government is taxing.

In ability to inspire patriotism war
has a long lead over all other worthy
causes.

The United States is not regarded
to be at war with any of Germany's al-
lies, which indicates they have more
sense than the Kaiser.

That big push in the Hindenburg
line makes one wish that Uncle Sam's
bawny shoulder might be applied at
once.

War for justice and lasting peace
is going to make neighbors out of a
lot of people who heretofore merely
lived in the same locality.

Ignorance today is one year in the
pen.

A young child is wiser than his
parents. He has brains enough to
know he doesn't know anything.

Lots of people didn't know how
much they loved the flag until the
nation went to war.

DUNLEVY.

Mrs. Mary Hill of Pittsburg is vi-
siting at the home of her niece Mrs.
Matthew Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Colvin spent
Wednesday at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Daniel McKay of Webster.

Mrs. Frank Haywood and son's Ray
and Thomas spent Wednesday in
Bentleyville.

Mrs. James Johns of North Charle-
roi called at the home of Mrs. Mabel
Johns Wednesday.

Misses Florence Haywood, Susan
Colvin and Elizabeth Lynn, visited
at the home of William Powell of
Mingo, Wednesday.

Mrs. John Bartass and son Ray-
mond visited at the home of her fa-
ther Patrick Hines of Fayette City.

Misses Margaret Haywood and
Hannah Hamilton visited friends in
California, Wednesday.

FIRE MARSHAL ISSUES POINTED INSTRUCTIONS FOR FOURTH OF JULY

To mayors and burgesses of Penn-
sylvania have been sent communica-
tions in the form of circular letters
by G. Chas. Port, state fire marshal,
in which instructions relative to an
Act of the Assembly which prohibits
the sale and use of balloons in the
commonwealth of Pennsylvania, are
given; also information as to the sale
and use of blank cartridges on the
Fourth of July, and the sale and use
of firecrackers.

The object of the circular letter is
to prevent, if possible, the sale and
use of any kind of explosive on the
Fourth of July, and as the burgess
has already issued an order prohib-
iting the sale of fireworks in Washing-
ton, the letter states that the state
department would be glad to have the
town officials enforce the provisions
of these different acts.

It is also requested that local news-
papers be asked to cooperate with the
city officials in giving the matter pub-
licity.

Prohibits Sale of Balloons

The act which forbids the sale and
use of balloons is as follows: Section
1. Be it enacted, etc., That on and
after the First day of January, 1916,
it shall be unlawful to sell or expose
for sale, or buy or exchange, or give
away, or have in possession, any bal-
loon, made or intended to contain fire-
for the purpose of ascension, or send
up or cause to ascend, any balloon
containing in or about it any fire.

This section does not apply to a bal-
loon in which a human being ascends.
A penalty is attached to a violation
of this act and any party if convicted
shall be sentenced to pay a fine not
exceeding two hundred dollars, or to
undergo imprisonment not exceeding
sixty days, or both, in the discretion
of the court.

Cannot Sell Blank Cartridges

Nor shall it be lawful, according to
section 2, of act 219, under the pro-
visions of this act, for any person or
persons, members of any firm or part-
nership, or the employees of any cor-
poration, to sell, offer or expose for
sale any blank cartridge, pellet, or
bullet composed of dynamite or other
high explosive compound, to be used
in pistols, hollow canes, or any toy
for explosive purposes. This act was
approved June 1, 1911.

The penalty for violation is a fine
of five hundred dollars or imprison-
ment not to exceed more than six
months, or both or either, within the
discretion of the court.

As to Firecrackers.

Section 1. Be it enacted, etc., That
it shall be unlawful for any person
to set off, fire or make use of, for the
purpose of explosion any firecracker
over six inches in length, and any
firecracker over three and one-half
to six inches in length, over three-
quarters of an inch in diameter, and
any firecracker to the length of three
and one half inches in length, over
one inch in diameter; or to set off,
fire or explode, in any county in this
commonwealth, any firecrackers con-
taining picric acid or picrates, dynam-
ite or other high explosive com-
pound, when used in pistols, hollow
canes, or any toy for explosive pur-
poses. Any one violating the provi-
sions of this act shall, on conviction
before any elderman, magistrate, or
justice of the peace, be deemed guilty
of disorderly conduct, and shall be
fined not more than twenty-five dol-
lars and, in default of the payment
of said fine, be imprisoned not more
than ten days.

Local Authorities Will Act

Officials of the county will arrest
any person guilty of violating the
law, whether the guilty party sell or
use the prohibited article. It is for
the good of the country and an act
of patriotism not to use explosives at
this time and in conformance with the
opinion of the burgess, published
recently, the law will be strictly ad-
hered to.

CHARLEROI RED CROSS

HEADQUARTERS LOCATED
AT 524 McKean Avenue

The office of the Charleroi Real Es-
tate Agency Company, 524 McKean
avenue has been made headquarters
for the Charleroi Red Cross work.
Supplies will be distributed from
there and the general work of the lo-
cal committee carried on with Mrs.
Kirk and Miss Minnie Richardson in
charge.

TRY A CLASSIFIED WANT AD

NOTICE!

I am looking for my sister whom I
have not seen for several years.

When two years old she was adopted
and lived in Brownsville for some
time, after which the family adopting
her is supposed to have moved to
Charleroi. Before adoption her name
was Katherine Hilk. At the present
time she is supposed to go by the
name of Milka Benak, although this
is not certain. She will be 15 years
old in December.



The above picture was taken while
she was attending school in Brown-
sville after her adoption. Any person
knowing of her whereabouts will be
rewarded if they will communicate
with me.

Andrew Hilk,
Box 538,
S. Brownsville, Pa.

NORTH CHARLEROI

Mrs. Mary Brass and daughter, Miss
Mary were callers in Sturgeon.

Mrs. L. G. Wilson was a recent caller
in Donora.

Mrs. Arthur Evans of Coraopolis
and Mr. and Mrs. John Brown of Riv-
erview were recent guests of Mr. and
Mrs. Richard Parks.

Misses Olive and Verna Cratty
were callers in Monongahela.

Mrs. Charles Miller and daughters
Ruth and Inza of Fayette City and
John Baker of California were guests
at the home of the latter's sister,
Mrs. S. A. Fleming.

Mrs. Alexander Beaumartage was
a caller in Monongahela.

William Cratty and son Austin
were callers in New Eagle.

Miss Mary Francis was a caller in
Belle Vernon.

Cecil Fleming was a business caller
in Pittsburg.

Mrs. Joseph Leclerc and Mrs.
Frank Delestine were callers in Mon-
ongahela.

Mrs. C. H. Wernke is visiting her
daughter in McKeesport.

Mrs. Alexander Fleming who is in
superstition.

Miss Grace Gaskill underwent a
successful operation in the Charle-
roi-Mcnessen hospital Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beacox of
Braddock were Sunday guests of Mr.
and Mrs. Harry Burkhardt.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Behanna and
daughter, Hallie and son Alex of
Monongahela were guests at the home
of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lauderbaugh.

Mrs. B. F. Sayre returned home after
spending a few weeks with her
brother, J. C. Kuhn who is ill at his
home in Coraopolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Raymer spent
Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Jacob Fisher in Carroll
township.

George Gabler visited friends in
Uniontown over Sunday.

Mrs. C. R. Buchanan was a caller
in Pittsburg.

Best Way to Get It

If you want something you should
pray for it as if you had no hope on
earth and work for it as if you ex-
pected no help from heaven.—Elbert
Hobbs.

Steamer Sent to Unmarked Sea Grave, The Victim of a German Torpedo



An Unmarked Vessel Plunges to Bot-
tom Passengers Make Desperate
Effort to Escape Death in Sea—
Last Boat Leaving, Last Man
Climbing Down Rope Ladder.

In an uncharted area of the Atlantic
the submarine fired the fatal torpedo
that sent this ship to the bottom.
Among the passengers was one man
with the presence of mind to raise his
camera over the edge of a life craft
and snap the remarkable photograph
of the vessel just before she plunged

beneath the surface. The submarine has disappeared, leaving the survivors to
their fates, whatever they might be. The torpedo in this instance struck in the
fore quarter of the vessel and she rapidly sank bow foremost. The stern is
shown lifted high out of the water, the last life boat pulling away. The few
remaining passengers and members of the crew are making desperate efforts to
save their lives. One man is seen climbing down a rope ladder, while another
has just disappeared in the waves under the propeller. The photograph is per-
haps the most remarkable that has ever come to this country.

TO THE PUBLIC OF CHARLEROI AND VICINITY:—

Charleroi Produce store has here-
with exchanged hands. The well known
Produce merchant W. F. Seabright of
Pittsburg who has taken over the Char-
leroi Produce Store is advertising that
he will give the public the benefit of his
30 years experience of serving the peo-
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Notice.

Mike Iligo disappeared from his home in Monessen Monday, May 28 at 10 o'clock and has not been seen since. He is seven years old and wore a gray jacket. Any information as to his whereabouts should be sent to his parents, John Iligo, 1152 Reservoir Avenue, Monessen, Pa., or to S. G. Check, undertaker, Monessen, Pa. 295-13-p.

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DECLINE OF TUBERCULOSIS.

Only Poverty and Insanitation Will Prevent Its Extermination.

If tuberculosis shall continue to decrease in this country at the same rate as in the past century it will be obliterated in another decade. This is the opinion of Dr. Cleveland Lloyd expressed at the Harvard Medical school. There are two conditions, however, which will prevent the complete obliteration of this lung disease at present, and these are poverty and lack of hygiene surroundings.

Dr. Lloyd said that almost everybody has the germs of this disease in his system, but that he is able to resist their attack through living a healthy life and through the protection of nature.

Inhalation and infection are the two common ways by which a person contracts tuberculosis. Children may get the germs in impure milk, but outdoor play prevents the spread. It often happens, however, that when people go to work in shops or insanitary offices or live in crowded rooms the disease shows itself and gains a foothold. That is why so many persons between the ages of nineteen and thirty-two acquire tuberculosis. Massachusetts, however, is making a determined resistance against the disease, and good food, fresh air and a good blood circulation form a sure preventive. These should be guaranteed to every child.—Boston Transcript.

MANAGING A SNAKE.

How to Capture and Control Any Rep-tile Without Danger.

If you are quick and fearless you may manage any snake so long as you are armed with a cane or a piece of wood like a cane.

Push the snake around in any way that you can in order to prevent him from coiling. When you have him in just the right position make a very quick move and place your cane across his neck just behind his head. Then you have him. He cannot get out of control.

Now bend down and grasp the snake in the place where your cane rests, just behind his head. With your left hand put his body under your right arm. No matter how enraged the reptile may be he can do no harm as long as you hold him in this position. His body is held by your arm against your side so he cannot coil around you or around any convenient object.

In handling snakes in the house it is essential to keep away from furniture or anything which the snake could coil about. They are very strong, and once they get themselves wrapped around any object it is exceedingly difficult to pry them loose.—Popular Science Monthly.

Mock Suns of the Arctic.

The mock suns of the arctic regions are somewhat similar to the mirages of the desert. As the long winter night of the polar region wanes once every twenty-four hours a slight glow is seen at some point on the horizon. Often accompanying this glow is seen the phenomenon of the mock suns. Several degrees up in the heavens as many as five of these spectral orbs have been seen at one time. Invariably they are all connected in a geometric figure, the suns seemingly bound together with circles and arms of light. The explanation of the phenomenon is given by physicists as refraction and reflection of light from the real sun below the horizon on the mists in the upper atmosphere.

Reviving Dying Trees.

A curious method of reviving languishing or dying trees was reported recently to the French Academy of Agriculture after being tested successfully in experimental gardens at Arcun, according to the Popular Mechanics Magazine. The earth was first removed so as to lay bare the larger root branches, in which longitudinal slits were then cut and kept open by wedges. These cuts were well rubbed with linseed oil, and after awhile numerous small roots appeared, forming a sort of fur, and the trees so treated rapidly gained new life and vigor. The method was recommended for trial in the case of languishing fruit trees.

Cooking Oatmeal.

It, preparing oatmeal if double quantity is cooked at one time, using half for one morning and putting the other half in a bowl, covering it with cold water, it will only be necessary to pour the water off and reheat for the second morning. Covering it with water prevents the hard crust from forming, which always does if left dry, and must be lifted off, thereby causing waste.—Philadelphia Record.

Absent.

"My wife is undecided whether to buy me a birthday gift or spend the money on a trip to her sister's," said skimp little Mr. Meek.

"Confidentially, I would a good deal rather have the absent than the present."—Life.

Becoming.

"Isn't my new dress becoming to me?" asked the delighted wife.

"Yes," replied the head of the establishment, "and I suppose the bill for it will soon be coming to me."

Insects and Crops.

An annual loss of crops from insects in the United States is estimated at \$1,200,000,000. The few of this every one ought to encourage a bigger force of bird police.

Good Guess.

Bliz-Say, what's the rest of that quotation beginning "Truth is mighty?"

Dir—"Scarce," I guess.—Exchange.

Six Secretaries in President's Cabinet Contribute Nine Sons to Nation's Cause

Junior Houston, Last to Join Colors, Now at Newport Naval Training Station—Wilson, Lane, Daniels and McAdoo Have Eight Boys in Arms

Perhaps never before in the history of the country has there been an instance where nine sons of six secretaries in the Cabinet of a President have been in the service of the nation at the same time. Yet that is the situation in the cabinet of President Wilson at present. The fact has a peculiar patriotic and historical significance.

The accompanying picture is that of David F. Houston, Jr., son of Secretary of Agriculture Houston, who is the last son of a secretary to join the colors. He is now at the Newport Naval Training Station, where he is learning the rudiments of navy work. Although still in his teens, young Houston has shown a marked aptitude for this branch of service and has stepped forward to fill a place in the ranks. He is one of a number of sons of prominent men hard at work preparing themselves for the more difficult tasks yet to come.

Of the other five secretaries in President Wilson's cabinet who have contributed their sons to the nation's cause, William B. Wilson, Secretary of Labor, has been the most generous. Three of his boys are doing duty in separate branches of the service. William B. Wilson, Jr., is in the Field Artillery of the regular army; James A. Wilson is a member of Troop A, First Cavalry, and Joseph B. Wilson is a



candidate for the Officers' Reserve Corps. Franklin K. Lane, Jr., son of the Secretary of Agriculture, is an army aviator, and Josephus Daniels, Jr., son of the Secretary of the Navy, is in the Marine Corps. The son of William C. Redfield, Secretary of Commerce, Humphrey Redfield, is a member of the Naval Reserve, and two sons of William G. McAdoo are in the navy service.

How to Buy \$50 Liberty Loan Bond of U. S. in Installments

Here is how to buy a \$50 Liberty bond in installments, as prescribed by the government.

One dollar deposit is required when the official application blank is signed and filed with the Federal Reserve bank or other authorized agency.

June 15 the government will give notification whether the bond has been allotted. If not, the deposit will be returned.

June 28 pay \$9 through the agency where the application was filed.

July 30 pay \$10. August 15 pay \$15. August 30 pay \$15.

When the second payment is made an official certificate will be given. When all payments have been made the bond will be delivered.

The \$50 bonds have coupons which call for the payment of \$1.75 interest yearly, half on June 15 and the rest Dec. 15. They run for 30 years, though they may be redeemed after 15 years.

STRATEGY OF THE BOER.

De Wet's Clever Escape When Hemmed In by the Enemy.

Of the three great figures that emerged on the Boer side in the war of defense that developed after Ladysmith, Botha, De Wet and Delarey, De Wet was the most impressive. His face was a study in resistance, says Harold Spender in "General Botha—The Career and the Man." Looking on him, one could understand the fear that he inspired in his own men. But it was his schemes of escape, almost marvellous in their cunning, that perplexed an empire and puzzled a planet.

One evening after a long day's march—so he told us—all his wanderings seemed to have come to an end. The lights of the British bivouac fires twinkled from every point of the horizon. De Wet, as was his wont, went apart from his men and sat alone in dumb despair. Then there came to him softly one of those wonderful scouts who served him so well. The scout had discovered a slight gap in the British lines between two regiments that were not quite keeping touch.

In a moment De Wet was on his feet. Within an hour every horse's foot was muffled with cloth or wool, and every wagon wheel was swathed. The Boer campfires were lighted and were left burning brightly. Then the whole Boer force crept out through the darkness of the night in utter silence, penetrated the gap in the British line, and started on a new course of furtive warfare.

FEAT OF THE OREGON.

Her Historic Trip Around Cape Horn to Santiago Bay.

At the outbreak of the war with Spain the battleship Oregon was ordered from San Francisco to the Atlantic coast. She left San Francisco on March 19, 1898; arrived at Calao, Peru, on April 18, where she took on coal; reached Sandy Point on April 15 and took on more coal, reached Rio de Janeiro on April 30, Bahia, May 9, Barbadoes, May 18, and Jupiter Inlet, Florida, on May 24. The entire distance was 14,703 knots at an expenditure of 4,155 tons of coal.

While at Rio de Janeiro Captain Clark, who was in command of the Oregon, received word that the Spanish torpedo boat Temerario had sailed from Montevideo with the intention of destroying the Oregon. Captain Clark notified the Brazilian authorities that if the Spanish vessel entered the harbor she would be attacked. The Temerario did not enter the harbor.

In the battle of Santiago Bay the speed of the Oregon enabled her to take a front position in the chase, in which she forced the Cristobal Colon to run ashore to avoid destruction from the Oregon's thirteen inch guns. The Oregon also prevented the escape of the Vizcaya.

Singing Crickets.

In Japan if one will leave the hotel and the tourist office and the cocktail drinkers and go out into the real native quarter there are enough things to interest any one. One old man passes with his load of crickets, which sing in hot weather and are kept in cages like so many canaries. These gentle creatures make a noise like a squeaky axle, and one hidden under the hood of a twelve cylinder car would subject the most careful chauffeur to scorn. They are caught with birdlime and make nice little pets, cheap to buy and not requiring gasoline for the upkeep.

Always a Way.

"I am beginning to fear," said the Rev. Mr. Goodman, "that I may be injecting too much humor into my sermons. The congregation may fall into the habit of neglecting to take me seriously."

Eager Inquirers.

"Don't you think conundrums are rather silly?"

"No. We consider them very useful when they keep the children asking one another questions instead of sending their parents to the encyclopedia."—Washington Star.

The Difference.

The Impeccable—It is just as easy to love a girl with money as to love one without it. The Heiress—But it isn't so easy to get her.—London Tit-Bits.

Persian Houses.

Every Persian house is constructed on a plan of secrecy. No windows are visible from the streets.

Cottages.

The term "cottage" was first applied to a small house without land in the year 1275.

And Now He's Fired.

"What do you mean by whistling like that in this office?" demanded the merchant.

"Well, sir, I thought I'd like you to know that I'm bearing up cheerfully in spite of my miserable salary," answered the clerk.—Newark Eagle.

Hoped For More.

Mrs. Chestnut—Who was that man I saw you with yesterday?

Mrs. Walnut—That was my husband.

"Oh, your last husband?"

"Don't say the last. It sounds as if you were trying to discourage me."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Modern Plows.

The modern plow was a Dutch invention. Englishmen and Americans have made many improvements in this implement, but for many years the Dutch plow led the world.

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This is the situation of hundreds of elderly men and women that have had their youth and health restored in such a short time. Aged men and women who have been steadily declining to the regret and dismay of fond relatives and friends are now hale and hearty, active both mentally and physically. Life to them has renewed the joys and pleasant anticipations of youth, where before it meant the usual steady progress down hill, with the decline and useless burden to themselves and everybody around. How they all dread this and how unnecessary it is.

A lively "old timer" said to our reporter, "I am now seventy years of age and my wife sixty-five and we both feel that any remedy that will truly build up the strength and increase the power of endurance of people of our age should be known to every nervous run down man, woman and child. Phosphated Iron did the work for both of us and we made up our minds to let all of our friends know about it. Take it from us we certainly have spread the gospel of Phosphated Iron through this neighborhood, so much so that hardly a day goes by without some of our friends stopping to thank us for putting them wise to such a splendid preparation."

Our city is full of just such experiences. There are thousands of men and women in all walks of life who need a strength and blood building nerve tonic, but do not know what to take. For this there is nothing like good old Iron and Phosphates in the right combination "Phosphated Iron."

to give increased strength, snap, vigor and staying power together with freedom from all nerve troubles. It enriches the blood, feeds starved nerves, brings a full healthy color to the cheeks, is an endurance and power for men and women who burn up their nervous energies too rapidly in this day of strenuous business and social competition.

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Fashion's Changes.

One can say as a certainty that in the twentieth century no one will be able to boast that he has created anything absolutely new in fashions. The 'crinolines' of the Empress Eugenie were a reminiscence of the panniers of Marie Antoinette, and long before her time, in the orient, women had conceived the idea of enlarging their skirts by means of hoops. A few years ago women of fashion affected high waists and sheath dresses, but before them Mme. Recamier had done the same thing, and the dresses of Mme. Recamier were suggested by the Greeks and the Romans. In short, like everything else, fashion is a part of the same everlasting come and go. We do not advance as we are so prone to imagine; we repeat our steps.—Roger Boutet de Monvel in Century.

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Corset materials of every kind are still advancing and are sure to go much higher and in order to maintain the Nemo standard of quality they were compelled to advance the prices. On and after July 2nd the \$3.50 corset will be advanced to \$4.00 and the \$5.00 corset to \$6.00. It will be true economy to secure your corset needs while present prices prevail.

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This is the Day

It is the Law that "All Male Persons" aged 21 years and not past 31 must register To-day between the hours of 7 A. M. and 9 P. M.

Registrars will be located mostly at polling places to sign-up all who come under this designation.

If YOU are within the prescribed age DON'T FAIL to call at YOUR place of Registration.

NEGLECTING TO REGISTER IS PUNISHABLE BY A HEAVY PENALTY

Uncle Sam Welcomes Two Chinese Boys to Rank of Junior Naval Scouts



If, indeed, there has existed a racial prejudice against the Chinese in America, there is certainly no evidence of discrimination in the Junior Naval Scouts which has just enrolled two bright-eyed little Orientals in the persons of George Chu Sui and Lee Koon Yau, shown in the picture from left to right. Both of these sons of the Orient have sworn fealty and allegiance to the United States and the flag, and here they stand before General Bedell, Chief Naval Scout, taking the oath of service. The Scouts gave the youthful Chinese-Americans a hearty welcome to the ranks. Needless to say they will come in for their just share of distinction as the only pair of Chinese boys in the Naval Scouts when they appear in drills and maneuvers.

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FOR SALE—Electric Carpet sweeper. Demonstrator. 421 McKean avenue. 298-42

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EAST PIKE RUN TURNS DOWN MEN AS TEACHERS

No Explanation Given But Women Are Shown Preference in Monday Elections—Salaries May Be Raised.

East Pike Run township's corps of school teachers for next year does not contain a single male member. Whether this was a war emergency move or just happened so was not explained by the directors following their meeting Monday afternoon at which teachers for all the schools in their district were chosen.

Neither did the directors announce the salaries the teachers will receive. It is understood that they plan an increase because of the high cost of living but have not decided just how much this should be. The instructors chosen follow:

High school—Principal, Miss Sara Axell; assistant principal, Miss Mary Denny.

Republican—Principal, Mrs. Eva Williams; No. 7, Gladys Riggs; No. 6, Edna Young; No. 5, Fannie Smith; No. 4, Alice Barr; No. 3, Florence Woodring; No. 2, Anna Moore; No. 1, Irene Humphries.

Phillipburg—Principal, Mrs. Mary King; No. 5, Inez Riggs; No. 4, Anna Lock; No. 3, Bessie George; No. 2, Margaret Harris; No. 1, Lillian McHenry.

Blainesburg—Principal, Elizabeth Maxwell; No. 4, Mrs. Bessie Grimes; No. 3, Lelia Reed; No. 2, Eleanor Richardson; No. 1, Marion Zerby.

Granville—Principal, Carrie Patterson; No. 5, Catherine Richardson; No. 4, Ruth Grimes; No. 3, Alice Forbes; No. 2, Kate McCue; No. 1, Adelaide Sugar.

Daisytown—No. 1, Iva Dickson; No. 2, Mary Van Bremen; Riggs—Selvillia Chester. Galbraith—Alta Frantz. Beazell—Margaret Watson. Union—Olive Dwyer. Knob—Lillian Bailey.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Pfinghardt of Fallowfield avenue spent Tuesday in Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. George Walker and daughter Laura of Pittsburgh visited with Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Connelly of McKean avenue Sunday.

M. T. Crowley and George Newton were callers in California Monday.

Mrs. George Leath of Sixth street was a Pittsburgh visitor Tuesday.

Miss Florence Clark of Crest avenue has returned from Swissvale where she visited with friends and relatives.

Mrs. A. S. Sijman and Miss Lenora Miksch visited at Pittsburgh Tuesday.

Miss Edith Woodhall of Washington avenue is visiting the Pittsburgh schools today.

Carl Miksch returned to the University of Pittsburgh Tuesday after visiting with his parent Mr. and Mrs. Miksch of McKean avenue.

Ed. Lowstuter a student of the University of Denver returned to Charleroi Monday to spend the summer with his father, Jacob Lowstuter.

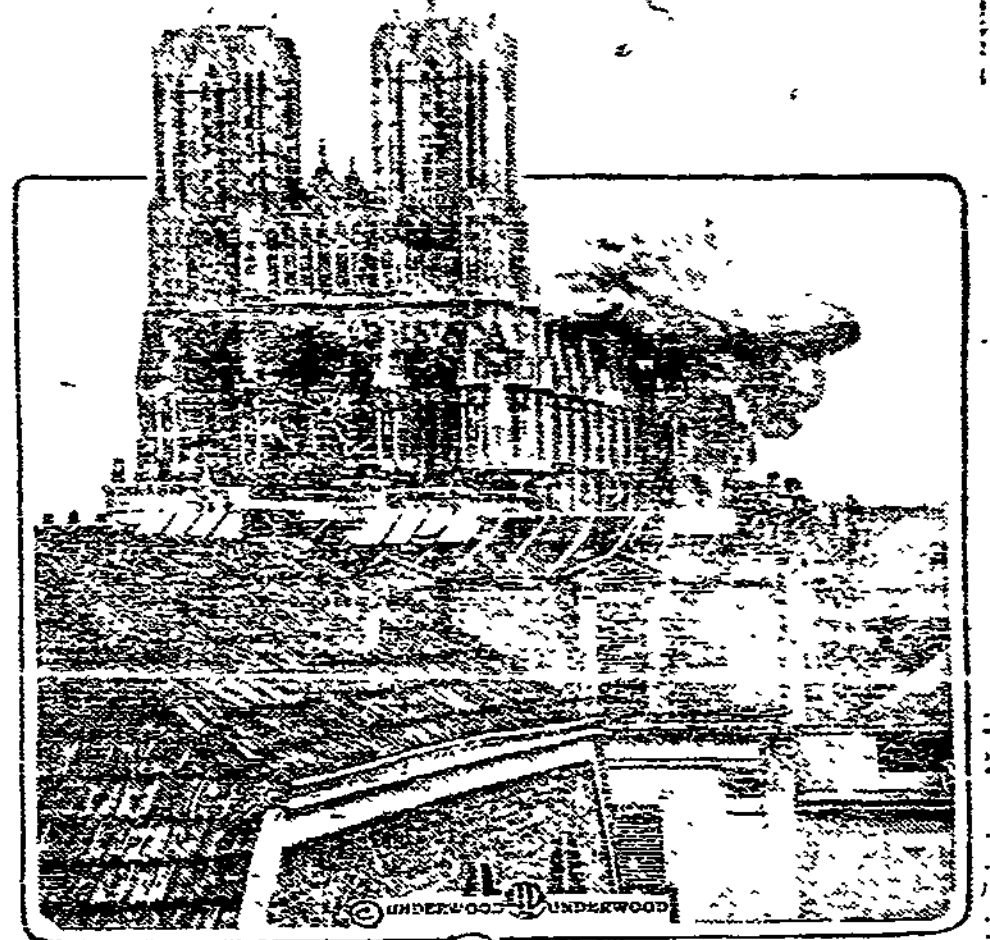
PAULINE FREDERICK AT COYLE THEATRE TODAY

Pauline Frederick the well known screen star is being featured in "Sleeping Fires" a Famous Players picture which is the attraction at the Coyle theatre today. The story deals with the greatest of human emotions—mother love. Wednesday Li nei Barrymore will be shown in "The Millionaire's Double." Friday's attraction will be Norma Talmadge in "The Panthea."

Notice to Lady Macabees

All ladies wishing to go to rally at Fayette City on Thursday June 7 will please meet at the home of the command, Lady Herrick 205 McKean at 12 o'clock for afternoon session or at 5th street and McKean at 6:45 for the evening session. 298-11

German Guns, Fired in Spite, Again Make Target of Rheims Cathedral



It may be that the first German shells that exploded over the ancient Rheims cathedral were not aimed at the stately towers. But the ever watchful eye of the camera has witnessed within the past month another more destructive attack which cannot be excused upon this ground. The ancient and holy building was partially demolished by the shell which is seen exploding in this picture. It was taken during the last week of April. The 380 mm. projectiles that laid the channel of the building in ruins were in fact "de plein fouet" (direct hits), as the picture plainly shows. The wasting of precious shells in the further destruction of a church is now considered "pure spitefulness."

ORDINANCE NO 69

An ordinance levying the annual taxes for the year 1917, in the borough of North Charleroi, for general borough purposes and for the purpose of taking care of the bonded debt of the borough, including redemptions, interest, state taxes, and sinking fund requirements for said year.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Burgess and council of the Borough of North Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same:

Section 1.

That an annual tax is hereby levied for general purposes, equal to 14 mills on the dollar, on the valuation assessed for county purposes, on all property, offices, professions and persons made taxable by the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Section 2.

That an annual tax is hereby levied for the purpose of providing for the bonded debt of the borough, including redemption, interest, state taxes and sinking fund requirements, equal to one mill on the dollar, on the valuation assessed for county purposes, on

all property, offices, professions and persons.

Ordained and enacted into an ordinance this 10th day of May, 1917.

Tom P. Sloan,
President of Council,
Pro tem

Attest:

R. A. Metz,
Secretary.

Examined and approved by me this 22nd day of May 1917.

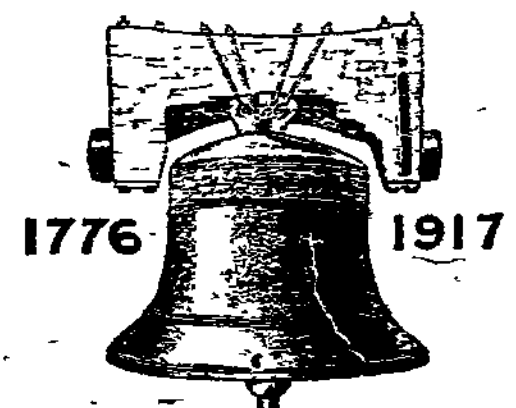
P. E. Franks,
Chief Burgess

Attest:

R. A. Metz,
Secretary.

"SOULS TRIUMPHANT" IS BEING SHOWN AT MAJESTIC

Wilfred Lucas and Bessie Love are being featured in the leading role of "Souls Triumphant" at the Majestic theatre today. Wednesday Ethel Clayton will appear in "Man's Woman" and the current installment of "Patricia" will be shown. Mary Pickford will be shown Thursday and Friday in "The Romance of the Redwoods" an eight reel picture.



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